58-16a-306 Contact lens prescription -- Qualifications.

- (1) An optometrist or physician issuing a contact lens prescription shall:
 - (a) be licensed under this title to practice in Utah;
 - (b) ensure the final contact lens prescription is accurate;
 - (c) present a written copy of the prescription to the patient after fitting; and
 - (d) provide a copy of the patient's contact lens prescription to a person who sells contact lenses upon the request of the patient or the person selling the contact lenses.
- (2) An optometrist or physician may not be held liable as a result of providing a prescription to a patient as required by Subsection (1).
- (3) Application of the provisions of this section shall be consistent with 45 C.F.R. Parts 160 and 164, Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information.

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